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CITY OF HOUSTON

Job Posting

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Applications accepted from: ALL PERSONS INTERESTED

Job ClassificationCUSTOMER SERVICE REPRESENTATIVE IPosting NumberPN# 109285DepartmentPublic Works & Engineering DepartmentDivisionPlanning and Development ServicesSectionUtility Planning & Analysis Branch

Reporting Location 3300 Main *

Workdays & Hours M - F, 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.*

*Subject to change

DESCRIPTION OF DUTIES/ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS

Uses effective problem-solving techniques to provide general information and customer assistance for quality service. Researches, analyzes and resolves customer needs to provide customer assistance. Organize and control customer sign in and coordination with Plan Analyst to help insure customers are seen on a timely basis. Uses effective questioning techniques to verify/confirm customer concerns and needs. Assist customers with various records and accounts. Receive training for effective use of the plan routing system. The ability to multi-task is essential. Provide general information to customers about water accounts, meters, procedures, etc. distribute forms to customers. Data entry of information on Impact Fees. Researches, analyzes, and resolves customers problems and inquiries.

10 WORKING CONDITIONS

This position is physically comfortable with occasional periods of stooping, bending and lifting of materials up to 10 pounds.

11 MINIMUM EDUCATIONAL REQUIREMENTS

Basic knowledge of grammar, spelling, punctuation and simple mathematical functions like percentages, ratios, etc.; as might normally be acquired through attainment of a high school diploma or a GED.

12 MINIMUM EXPERIENCE REQUIREMENTS

Six months of administrative or customer service related experience is required.

13 MINIMUM LICENSE REQUIREMENTS

None

14 PREFERENCES

Preference will be given to applicants with extensive problem solving experience.

15 SELECTION/SKILLS TESTS REQUIRED

None

16 SAFETY IMPACT POSITION Yes X No

If yes, this position is subject to random drug testing and if a promotional position, candidate must pass an assignment drug test.

17 SALARY INFORMATION

Factors used in determining the salary offered include the candidate's qualifications as well as the pay rates of other employees in this classification. The salary range for this position is:

Salary Range - Pay Grade 13

\$824 – 1,154 Biweekly \$21,424 - \$30,004 Annually

18 OPENING DATE March 8, 2006

19 CLOSING DATE March 14, 2006

20 APPLICATION PROCEDURES

Original applications only are accepted and must be received by the Human Resources Department during posting opening and closing dates shown, between 9:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. at 611 Walker, First Floor. Our TDD (Telephone Device for the Deaf) phone number is (713) 837-9471. For application status inquiries, please call (713) 837-7734. All new and rehires must pass a pre-employment drug test and are subject to a physical examination and verification of information provided.

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